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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: NAKAYAMA et al.

Application No. 09/828,301

Filed: April 6, 2001

Confirmation No. 6580

For: APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR
MEASURING SURFACE PROFILES AND
WAVEFRONT ABERRATIONS, AND
LENS SYSTEMS COMPRISING SAME

Examiner: Kevin Pyo

Art Unit: 2878

Attorney Reference No. 4641-58305

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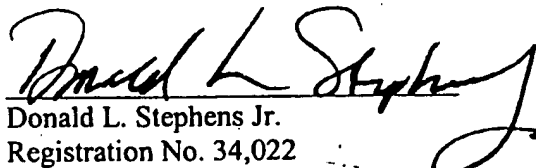


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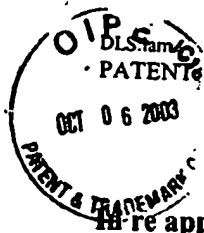
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This responds to the Office action dated May 8, 2003. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 13.

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